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new, fresh, crisp, dainty Muslin Underwear (the product of the art brains of the underwear world).

Months have been devoted to the gathering of this big collection. Huge orders have been placed long in advance when factories were dullest, when makers eliminated profits in order to give continuous employment to their operators-these are a few of the reasons why January prices are lowest. When this underwear is selected we have the samples here from twenty of the leading underwear makers of America. With eye-glass and with tape line we scrutinize each and every style, discarding here and there until we have the cream of the collection, then we replace our orders. Only by anticipating the advancing prices are we able to offer you the values that you will find in this sale. Now is the time to buy, for every piece of this underwear will be advanced in price after the sale.

An Eight-Page Circular Has Been Prepared for Mail Orders

and will be sent to you free of charge upon application. This circular will help you in selecting your garments and should be a guide to every woman who is in need of Muslin Underwear.

MIDNIGHT SERVICES.

Many Worshippers Attend Solemn High Mass at Opening of New Year.

Solemn high midnight mass opened the New Year and the Holy Year of the Roman Catholic church at the Church of the Assumption in this city last

The affection shown by the tempera-The affection shown by the tempera-ture for the zero mark and the lateness of the hour had no effect on the attend-ance at the service. By the time the big bell announced the half bour before the beginning of the mass practically all the seating space in the church was occupied, and before the celebrant and the assisting priests made their ap-pearance before the high altar scores of neople were standing in the alsies and Topeka at the opening of a new year, and hundreds of Protestants were there well as hundreds of those of the

Catholic faith.

Very Rev. Dean Hayden acted as celebrant of the mass, Rev. Father Harrigan, deacon, and Rev. Father Daly of St. Marys, sub-deacon. Solemn high mass is probably the most impressive ceremony of the Roman Catholic church, and the hour and the occasion it marked seemed to make that of last sight more impressive still. For over sight more impressive still. For over an hour the chanting of the priests and the music of the mass resounded through the church, while the hundreds of worshippers changed their postures as the customs of the service demand

church was a mass of varied colored electric lights and flickering candle flames. In unison with the ultar arch, "Gloria in Exceisios Deo" shone out in letters of brilliant incandescent globes, the arrangement having been allowed to remain since the Christmas services. The side altars were also acles with The side altars were also aglow with lights, and in the space to the right a representation of the crib at Bethlehem, which like the inscription was prepared for the Christmas masses, was to be seen. Flowers and pulms held place between the lights on each of the three altars.

short sermon was preached by Rev. Father Harrigan, assistant pastor of the church. He spoke of the fact that the keeping of New Year's resolutions had come to be matter of jest, and ex-horted his hearers to make it a matter

of fact instead.

At the close of the mass there was Benediction of the Biessed Sacrament. This concluded the midnight service, which will not be repeated until midnight of the last day of the present year. After that, unless some extraordinary circumstance takes place, midnight mass will not be celebrated New Year's until of the next Holy Year, 50 years hence.

DINNER FOR BRYAN.

C. H. P. Belmout Will Banquet the Nebraska Statesman. New York, Jan. 1.—The Press tomor-row will say that William Jennings

Bryan, upon the occasion of his visit to New York within the next month will be the guest of Dr. John Gardner of this city. During his visit to the city a dinwill be given in his honor by O. H.

MEASURING EARTHQUAKES

[From the London Globe.]

Twenty-three stations are now fitted for ascertaining and measuring the trembling of the earth; but it is desirable, according to "Engineering," that a central seismological laboratory should be established, at which earth movements could be recorded and analyzed in relation to the corresponding registers received from abroad. Professor Milne's own station at Shide, Isle of Wight, is still located in some dark and damp stables, which have ruined some photographs and are responsible for other mischief. In spite of these difficulties, Professor Milne has recorded during the past year 103 earthquakes. Over 70 per cent of these records are repeated in the registers of Kew; from 53 to 65 per cent are common to Nicolaiev, Potsdam and Trieste; and 56 per cent to Victoria in British Columbia. From the time at which these disturbances reach the various observatories it has been possible to locate the centers from which they have originated. In many instances these were shown to central seismological laboratory In many instances these were shown to be sub-oceanic; and while they give evidence of geological activity in ocean beds they promise to indicate localities which it would be unwise to cross with cables. A curious feature exhibited in a collection of results of the same earthquake is that the large waves may be less in swilltone. be less in amplitude at a station near their origin than they are at stations

An earthquake, originating in Japan, prossing beneath the Pacific to Victoria, B. C., may yield a smaller diagram at that place than the one obtained at double the distance in the Isle of Wight. In this latter case the large waves swept over the free surfaces of two continents. The inference is that oceans exert a dampening influence upon indulations of their beds. Mr. Milne, rereferring to earthquake echoes, says that as an earthquake dies it does so by a rhythmical succession of similar that its an enrinquage dies it does so by a rhythmical succession of similar movements, which are more suggestive of surgings following reflections than of a spasmodic settlement of disjointed strata. The first of these surgings often appears about five minutes after the chief shock, and this, but on a continually decreasing scale, may be repeated many times before the earthquake has ceased. Mr. Symons states that earthquakes get a character impressed upon them, so that we have something like a postmark. Thus last year Mr. Miling correctly predicted that an earthquake report wired from Japan was wrong by twenty-four hours. The colonial and the war offices have met the committee of the British association, and different types of instruments will be compared in the new central station.

Size doesn't indicate quality. Rewore of

Size doesn't indicate quality. Beware of counterfeit and worthless laive offered for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. DeWitt's is the only original. An infallible cure for piles and all skin diseases. At all drug

SNAP SHOTS AT HOME NEWS PIMPLES AND BOILS. The police change beats today. Cyrus Leiand was up to Troy Saturday. Nearly all public offices were closed to-

The mail carriers only make one deliv-

The January term of the supreme court will begin tomorrow.
The county clerk's association will meet next year in Topeka. The heat in the Topeka Whist club

The cold weather gives Poor Commis-

A man who has not smoked for six weeks commenced again today.

A chicken fight which was to have been pulled off Saturday night was postponed.

H. Smyth has been elected librarian by Kansas Academy of Science for sixteenth time.

us atternoon.

Wm. Hoeek of the Santa Fe round ouse, and wife have returned from a oildar visit to Mr. Hoeek's parents in arshelltown, Iowa.

or not secure Sousn's famous band to be Auditorium next fall? The Kandky convention hall was formally in one of Sousn's inspiring marchyed by Sousn's band, and the big as has so far had a very successfeet.

Wagonmaker Fish Dead.

Clinton, Ia., Jan. 1.-T. G. Fish, president of the Fish Bros.' Manufac-

bresident of the rish Bros. Example, turing company, died yesterday at his home here, aged 56 years. He was widely known as the founder of the famous Fish Bros.' wagon, beginning its manufacture at Racine, Wis., in 1862.

Mrs. Couriney offers all millinery this month at less than cost to make room for new stock,

Are Caused by a Scrofulous Condition of the Blood.

ery today.

Venison is now having a run at the restaurants.

You are not in style unless you are vaccinated.

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Happy New Year is a universal greeting this morning. Venison is now having a run at the res-

us sores. These diseases are constitutional and

These diseases are constitutional and should be met by constitutional remedies of known merit and effectiveness. In Hyde's Bi Sulpho Tablets we have a new and up-to-date remedy, which is certainly the safest if not the best preparation sold today for the cure of these blood disorders.

Unlike sarsaparilias and liquid blood purifiers no secret is made of the ingredients in Hyde's Bi-Sulpho Tablets; they are composed of sulphur, bi-tartrate of potassia and other harmless but effective essentials and above all are very pleasing to the taste.

John McWilliams of 715 East 2d street, Kansas City, writes: sioner Hale more to do.

When one says "next year" now it also means next century, 1801.

The Turners ushered in the New Year with appropriate ceremonies.

General Manager Mudge of the Santa Fe has returned from Chicago.

Governor Stanley is spending New Year's at his home in Wichita.

A man who has not smoked for standard.

John McWilliams of 715 East 2d street, Kansas City, writes:

"I am glad to recommend to my friends your Bi-Sulpho Tablets. Have been troubled with a serious blood and skin disorder for months which has been entirely cured by the use of your tablets."

These tablets are put up in a very compact and ready-to-take form and sold by druggists at 50 cets, per box or sent postpaid by the BiSulpho Co., Marshall, Mich.

Free book on blood and skin diseases and their cure. weeks commenced again today.

There are two lone Christmas trees still exposed for sale on Kansas avenue.

The largest snow flakes which have been seen this winter fell yesterday.

The drug stores are doing a good business in medicines for chapped hands.

Fred Watson, fireman on the Santa Fe, is sick at his home with typhoid fever.

A chicken fight which was to have been and their cure.

BIG CATTLE CASE.

Clark County Ranchman Defendant In a Suit.

In a Suit.

A suit has been filed in the federal court by the National bank of California, Mo., against J. W. Jones, a cattle man of Clark county. Kansas, on a transcript from the district court of Clark county, where it was first brought. The suit is to secure a judgment of 12,520 against Jones, and also asks for the appointment of a receiver for between 500 and 600 cattle which Mr. Jones has on his Clark county ranch, and which are security for the amount sued for.

Mr. Jones, it is alleged, gave his note to a Kansas City commission company and a mortgage on the cattle, and the commission company immediately sold the note to the bank. Now the bank claims that the cattle are not being well cared for, and it wants a receiver appointed to take charge of them.

The defense filed a motion in the federal court to take the suit back to the Clark county district court.

FOR DEATH OF HUSBAND. Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson Sues Swift & Co. For \$10,000

Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson of Kansas City, ansas, has filed a sull in the federal to couble what it was last year.

William Maclay Lyon will return to sas City this week after spending the days with his parents in this city.

Topeka men claim they can buy recal in other towns and ship it in a cheaper than they can buy it in Toslectric light globes, has been placed the main door of the Church of the to ice man has just about gone out of ness. At any rate he does not have unry on his rounds for fear that the will meet. A Topeka man started out with ten resolutions this morning. Three of them were still intact and unbroken at 1 o clock this afternoon.

TEN HORSES BURNED. Racing Stable of D. W. Kent Is Destroyed.

The sheep born at the fair grounds, People are now wendering how to ab-breviate 1800. It doesn't nok right to write "'00," and when they do write it they don't know how to read it. used by D. W. Kent as a training stable, was completely destroyed by fire Sunday morning about two o'clock

Jeopile are now wondering how to able "100" and when they do write it they don't know how to read it.

Mary Fridhishw was completely destroyed by the stable, and its horses and several buggies and should be also be the stable of the stable

mation of the People.

Attention is Naturally Expected When Anything is Praised by People Whom We Know.

A thing that stands high in the estimation of the public, and which is especially recommended by Topeka people, naturally excites our attention more than if our own people did not praise the article. Such a thing is going on right here in Topeka every day, people are praising Morrow's Kid-neoids because they cure. There is no deception, no humbug, they do positively cure and we furnish the evidence.

John Green, of the firm of Wm. Green & Son, Grocers, at 712 Kansas avenue, says: "I have been troubled for some time with backache, caused no doubt by disordered kidneys. Recently I got a package of Morrow's Kid-ne-oids and used them occording to the directions and I have not had the slightest symptoms of backache since. Kid-ne-oids effected a complete cure in a short time."

Morrow's Kid-ne-olds are not pills, but Yellow Tablets and cure backache, nervousness and all kidney disorders. They sell at fifty cents a box at all drug stores and Swift & Holliday's drug store.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

A very pleasant affair was the closing party of the H. H. club's first serfes given at Hudson's hall Saturday. Music was furnished by Steinberg's orchestra and at the close of the party refreshments were served.

Those present were: Miss Octavia Greenwood, Miss Florence van Tassel, Miss Etta Beck, Miss Alice Vanderpool, Miss May Van Horn, Miss Marie Wilson, Miss Mary Irwin, Miss Mare Declercq, Miss Eleanor Colcord, Miss Myrtle Dillon, Miss Fannie Funk, Miss Katherine Ernich, Miss Laura Shechan, Miss Anna Walsh, Miss Nellie Nevill, Miss Ethel Jewell, Miss Laura Shechan, Miss Sarah Schreiber, Miss Aimee Crandell, Miss Winnifred Prescott, Miss Nellie Kirk, Miss Erol Buckmaster, Miss Mary Morton, Miss Kittle Flynn, Miss Elia Ramsey, Miss Frances Coffin, Miss Edna Prescott, Mr. Harry Lyddane, Mr. Fred Brown, Mr. Will Sheehan, Mr. Louis Wingert, Mr. Earl Graham, Mr. Frank Hungate, Mr. Charles Nelson, Mr. Ross Heller, Mr. Charles Nelson, Mr. Ross Heller, Mr. Charles Nelson, Mr. Frank Sturgis, Mr. Raiph Babcock, Mr. Frank Barkiey, Mr. Raiph Babcock, Mr. Frank Barkiey, Mr. Walter Bible Mr. Herbert Miller, Mr. Charles Markley, Mr. Warren Cheney, Mr. Frank Squire and Mr. Harry Martin of Chicago.

The Chaulangus Programme.

The regular meeting of the Ninde Chautauqua will be held Tuesday evening instead of Monday, this week. The following program will be given:
Response to roll call will be New Year's resolutions.
Initial Studies in American Literature, chapter I.—Miss Edith Moore.
Expansion of the American People, chapters X. and XI.—Miss Clara Laubach.

The Chautauqua Programme.

Reading-Mrs. F. C. Slater. Art Talk-Mrs. L. H. Crandell. A Departure.

The Women's Educational and In-dustrial union of Boston has inaugur-ated a new feature, that of a "House-keeper's School," which is conducted on a really scientific basis. This course is designed to meet the needs of college women and others who wish to fit themselves to manage a household on

standpoint consists in the application of known principles and facts, scientific and economic, to the maintenance of a well ordered; healful home. It includes a study of the management of the household and expenditure of the income according to business methods."

Notes and Personal Mention. Engraved or printed cards and wedding invitations. Adams Brothers.

There will be a meeting of the delegates of the City Federation Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 in the Y. W. C. A. parlor to make arrangements for the Helman-Taylor art exhibit. All delegates are requested to be present.

The Felicity club will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Dan Small on

afternoon with Mrs. Dan Small on Western avenue.
Miss Man, e Hartman will arrive from Warrensburg, Mo., Thursday to visit Mrs. George P. Ashton.
Mr. and Mrs. Burr Lakin will go to Atchison Tuesday for a short visit.
Mrs. Harry Safford of North Topeka entertained a number of her South side friends very pleasantly Thursday evening.

Seven Course Dinnar.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrington gave a seven

Mr. and Mrs. Carrington gave a seven course diuncr Sunday at their home on Fillmore street in honor of Mr. Carrington's thirty-third birthda;. Those invited were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Monoe, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Monoe, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor, Dr. Sumner Sundey, Mrs. Alice Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Boston J. H. B. Taylor, Mrs. Charles Field, Mr. E. J. Carrington of Kansas City, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Lambins of Tecurosch, William Tucker of Independence, Mo., Misses Minne, Leanna and Lou McDonald, Miss Eliza and Winnie Field and Mrs. Lucy Thompson, Mr. Carrington's mother, of Oklahoma City.

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women and others who wish to fit themselves to manage a household on the best economic and hyrienic basis. It is also claimed that this school holds the belief that house work is a trade and that the women upon whom the care of the house falls, whether she be employer or employe, should have special training for her work; to be consistent with this belief the school is only open for young women who wish to study housework as a trade.

As it definies itself, "the school of housekeeping stands for a recognition of the fact that housekeeping is a profession demanding scientific training. The course offered to young women who are to study it from the housekeeper's at the standing lones' previous positive declaration that the man who committed suicide in a lodging house in this city several weeks ago was Wolfsohn, whose helirs were entitled to the amount of the insurance policy which was paid over to the public administrator of this country. The identity of the suicide and the ty. The identity of the suicide and the object of his representation as Wolfschn will now be investigated.

WEALTH OF MILLIGNAIRES.

[From the New York World.] Chauncey M. Depew (Rep.), New York, personal wealth, \$2,000,000.

William Andrew Clark (Dem.), Mon-tana, mine owner, banker and manu-facturer, \$50,000,000. Marcus Alonzo Hanna (Rep.), Ohio, coal and iron mine owner and manufacturer, railroad and steamship lines and banker, \$12,000,000.

Stephen Benton Elkins (Rep.), West Virginia, coal and iron mines and rall-roads, \$7,000,000.

John Percival Jones (Silver), Nevada, gold and silver mines, \$10,000,000.

Redfield Proctor, (Rep.), Vermont, lawyer, \$3,000,000. John Kean (Rep.), New Jersey, law-lawyer, and banker, \$5,000,000.

Thomas Collier Platt (Rep.), New York, express company, banker and commercial interests, \$5,600,000.

George Peabody Weth he (Rep.), Rhode Island, banker, lawyer and capi-Nathan B. Scott (Rep.), West Virginia, capitalist, \$2,000,000.

William Morris Stewart (Silver), Nevada, lawyer and gold and silver mine owner, \$2,000,000.

Nelson W. Aldrich (Rep.), Rhode Island, street railway magnate, \$1,000,000. Addison G. Foster (Rep.), Washington, lumber, coal and shipping, \$2,500,-

James McMillan (Rep.), Michigan, umber, \$5,000,000.

Edward Oliver Wolcott (Rep.). Colo-rado, lawyer and mining, \$2,000,000. Henry Cabot Lodge (Rep.), Massa-chusetts, literature, \$2,000,000.

Charles Warren Fairbanks, (Rep.), Indiana, lawyer, \$2,000,000. Joseph Benson Foraker (Rep.), Ohio lawyer, \$1,000,000.

William J. Sewall (Rep.), New Jersey, railroads and banking, \$2,000,000. Joseph Very Quarles (Rep.), Wisconsin, lawyer and lumber, \$1,500,000.

Boles Penrose (Rep.), Pennsylvania, lawyer, \$1,000,000.

Francis E. Warren (Rep.), Wyoming, ranchman, \$1,500,000.

Eugene Hale (Rep.), Maine, lawyer,

George C. Perkins (Rep.), California, steamships and banking, \$5,000,000. George Shoup (Rep.), Idaho, sheep and mine owner, \$1,000,000.

Joseph Simon (Rep.), Oregon, lawyer \$1,000,000.

A MENACING ASSURANCE.

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[From New Orleans Times-Democrat.]

"I had a peculiar case in court the other day," said a lawyer. "An old Irishman named Callahan had got into a row with his landlord about some repairs and refused to pay his rent. The landlord was a fussy little ex-college professor, totally unversed in the ways of the world and he was imprudent enough to send word that he would have the family evicted and then called to discuss it personally. He emerged yelling 'Murder!' and suid that he had first met Mrs. Callahan who told him her husband would do him no harm, pon the strength of which he had waited or his return. When Callahan came in he prumptly gave the visitor a beating. The old Irishman and his wife were both crested and I appeared for the defence. The ugly feature of the case was the aleged effort of the woman to lure her aller into a trap, but when put on the tand she decied the landlord's story in do, and swore point blank she had warnd him that her husband proposed to use his head. Both parties seemed persetly sincere in their statements, and I as somewhat puzaled." I finally decided to cross-examine the tappolessor. 'Now, repeat to us,' I said, exactly what Mrs. Callahan told you be gard to her husband. 'She assured me

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positively,' answered the landlord, 'that he had no intention whatever of molesting me,' 'But she didn't say it in those words,' I insisted. 'What I want is her exact language.' 'Well, sir,' said the wilness, beginning to get flustered, 'she gave me to understand' Oh, never mind that,' interrupted the ludge, 'give us her own words.' 'Very well, sir,' yery well, sir,' exclaimed the fittle landlord, desperately. 'She said, 'When Mike comes hums he won't do a thing to you!' When the judge got through laughing he let the prisoners off with a reprimand.'

Paid Dear For His Leg.

B. D. Blanton of Thackerville, Texas, in two years paid over \$200.00 to doctors to cure a Running sore on his leg. Then they wanted to cut it off, but he cured it with one box of Bucklen's Arnica Saive. Guaranteed cure for Piles. 25 cents a box. Sold by Waggoner, druggist, 731 Fansas avenue.

ord I had a running, itching sore on my leg. Suffered tortures. Doan's Ointment took away the burning and itching instantly, and quickly effected permission of the ling Green, O.

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